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PART I.

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

Mysore Upper Secondary Examination.

READ—

1. Subject No. 20 of the Proceedings of the Representative Assembly at the Birthday Session of 1923, suggesting that the compartmental system be extended to the Upper Secondary Examination also.

2. Letter No. H. C. 267 of 23-24, dated the 17th April 1924, from the Inspector General of Education submitting his proposals in the matter.

ORDER No. E. 651-3—EDN. 131-23-6, DATED BANGALORE, THE 18TH AUGUST 1924.

The Inspector General of Education considers it desirable to give additional facilities to Upper Secondary candidates by providing for the compartmental system in the Upper Secondary Examination and reports that the Local Examination Board are in favour of dividing the subjects prescribed for the Upper Secondary Examination into two groups with rules as follows :—

Group A	Group B
1. 1st Language—Kannada, Urdu or Sanskrit	4. Arithmetic and Algebra
2. 2nd Language—Kannada, Persian, Arabic, English or Sanskrit.	5. Geometry.
3. History and Geography	6. Physics and Chemistry

1. Candidates should appear in the first instance for both the groups till they have passed in either of them, after which they can appear for the remaining group. No candidate will be permitted to appear for one compartment unless he has already passed in the other compartment.

2. To pass in A Group only, a candidate should obtain not less than 40 per cent of the maximum marks for the First Language and not less than 40 per cent of the total maximum for all the subjects of that group. (In the case of those who are entitled to exemption from taking English, Sanskrit or Persian as Second Language, on the ground of their having passed the Lower Secondary with *any* of these three as First Language, the Group A will be one of *only two subjects*,—(1) First Language and (2) History and Geography.

3. To pass in the B Group only, a candidate should obtain not less than 40 per cent in any one subject of the group and not less than 40 per cent of the total maximum for all the subjects of Group B.

4. The fee for the Examination *in each compartment* will be Rs. 3 for teachers and school candidates and Rs. 4 for private candidates.

2. The Inspector-General of Education has submitted for approval a copy of the rules of the Upper Secondary Examination with necessary additions and modifications embodying the proposals above referred to. The rules as revised are approved and appended to this order.

K. MATTHAN,
Chief Secretary to Government.

REVISED REGULATIONS OF THE MYSORE UPPER SECONDARY EXAMINATION.

I. The Mysore Upper Secondary Examination will be held annually on the first working day in April and the following days at the headquarters of each district.

2. The examination will be open to the following classes of candidates, provided they have passed the Mysore Lower Secondary Examination.—

(*a*) Teachers employed in Government, Aided, Municipal and other recognised schools.

(*b*) Pupils of Upper Secondary Classes of Government or recognised schools.

(*c*) All other persons who will be regarded as private candidates.

N.B.—The President of the Board for the Management of the Mysore Local Examinations may, however, exempt deserving candidates from the condition requiring them to have passed the Mysore Lower Secondary Examination, if they have been teachers in Government, Municipal, Aided or other recognised schools for a period of not less than three years.

III. Under-graduates of the Madras University will be allowed to appear for the Mysore Vernacular Upper Secondary Examination in the language and Science subjects.

IV. Applications for admission to the examination shall be sent so as to reach the Secretary, Local Examinations Boards, Bangalore, not later than the 15th December, on printed forms which may be obtained from the Local Examinations Office at Bangalore.

V. No candidate shall be registered for the full examination unless he has previously paid a fee of Rs. 5, if he be a teacher or pupil candidate, and Rs. 7, if he be a private candidate. The fees for either the A Group or the B Group will be Rs. 3, in the case of teachers and school candidates and Rs. 4 in the case of private candidates.

VI. Candidates shall be examined in the following subjects :—

1. *First Language.*—*Kannada.*—There shall be three papers, one of three hours' duration on the prescribed text-books including explanation of selected passages and questions on Grammar, idiom, and analysis, etc., one paper of 2½ hours' duration on Advanced Grammar, Poetics and Prosody as treated in Shabdamanidarpana, Panit Srinivasa Raghavacharya's Chandomalike and Essays of Kannada Upanyasamanjari of R. Raghunatha Rao; and one paper of 2 hours' duration on composition.

or

Urdu.—There shall be three papers; one paper of 3 hours' duration on the prescribed text-books including explanation of selected passages and questions on Grammar and analysis, etc., one paper of 2½ hours' duration on Advanced Grammar, Poetics and Prosody as treated in (1) Misbah-ul-qaid revised by Anjumani-Targqui-urdu and (2) Tazkera-tul-balagat, two parts of Bayan and Badi and one paper of 2 hours' duration on composition.

or

Sanskrit.—Nataka Standard. Three papers of 3, 2½ and 2 hours' duration respectively.

First paper.—Text books. One Nataka and 3 Sargas of Kvaya.

Second paper.—Grammar and Poetics.

Third paper.—Translation.

N.B.—In composition, both in Kannada and Urdu, candidates shall be required to write short essays on (1) a general subject, and (2) a subject or subjects chosen from text-books for non-detailed study.

2. *Second Language.*—(*a*) *Sanskrit.*—There shall be two papers, one of 3 hours' duration on the prescribed text-books and elements of Practical Grammar and one paper of 2 hours' duration consisting of unseen passages for translation from Sanskrit into Kannada, and Kannada into Sanskrit.

or

(*b*) *Persian.*—There shall be one paper of 3 hours' duration on the prescribed text-books and Grammar, idiom, analysis, etc., as treated in the parts on Etymology and Syntax in Ahsan-ul-quaid and one paper of 2 hours' duration consisting of unseen passages for translation from Urdu into Persian, and Persian into Urdu.

or

(*c*) *Arabic.*—There shall be one paper of 3 hours' duration on Dirayath-ul-adith and grammar, structure and idiom of the language as treated in Mifta-ul-adab; and one paper